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TOO MUCH RUNNING AROUND.

School Children are not giving Proper Attention to Their Studies.

To PATRONS OF OWOSSO SCHOOLS:

We do not wish to dictate what your children shall or shall not do when out of school, nor do we wish to unduly abridge the pleasures of our young people, but if our teachers are to be held responsible for the advancement of your children in school work, and if you expect to get value received for your investment in educational facilities, then it is high time that you see that your children give proper attention to school duties.

The teachers of the high school and grammar grades inform me that for the pats two weeks work is practically at a stand still. Many pupils are doing nothing in their studies, and the inevitable result follows that many will not do the work necessary for promotion, and no one will make the proper advancement in work.

Many pupils boast that they are out to parties or sleigh riding five or six nights each week, and we know that a great many aregiving a large share of their time in school in arranging for the next affair. We know from daily observation that many come to school about exhausted and are practically unfit for school work. There are going to be a great many disappointed as well as surprised pupils and parents when the day of promotions comes.

Will you help us by giving us your children in proper condition for mental work or shall we go on keeping school instead of engaging in the more desirable work of teaching or instruction?

> Respectfully, J. W. SIMMONS, Supt.

The Ruined California Grape Crop.

The partial loss of the grape crop this year, caused by heavy rains, is estimated to exceed \$1,000,000. Farmers and vineyards all over the northern part of the state have suffered. While this is true, it is equally safect that loss and falling strength may be restored by the persistent, systematic use of the great national tonic, Hostetter's Stom-ach Bitters, which renews and tones the activity of the stomach, liver and the bowels, counteracts a tendency to rheumatism and kidney complaint, and prevents malarial disorders. After exhausting diseases have run their course, recovery is greatly accelerated by the use of the Bitters, which improves appetite and imparts renewed vigor to the debilitated physique.

Relief For Cuba.

Messrs. H. C. Frieseke and L. E. Woodard, the local committee designated by the Governor to act in collecting and forwarding supplies needed to alliging to the Send to the Collecting and forwarding supplies needed to alliging to the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to alliging to the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to alliging the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to alliging the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting and forwarding supplies needed to all grant the collecting supplies needed to all grant suffering in Cuba, are in receipt of the following which enumerates the articles needed:

"Havana, January 11, 1898.
Central Cuban Relief Committee, Temple Court, N. Y. Summer clothing second hand or otherwise, principally for women and children, medicines for fevers, including a large proportion of quinine, hard bread, flour, cornmeal, bacon rice, lard, potatoes, beans, peas, salt fish, principally codfish, any canned goods, large quantities condensed milk, blankets and charcoal, money will also be useful to secure nurses, medicines, and for many other necessaries."

Offerings cash or otherwise may be left at the Citizens' Savings Bank or given to either member of the committee. R. N. Parshall of the Owosso City Mills, offers to grind free of charge all grains donated for the above object.

Will SCOTT'S EMULSION cure consumption? Yes and Will it cure every case? What cases will it cure then? Those in their earlier stages, especially in young people. We make no exaggerated claims, but we have positive evidence that the early use of

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of Cod-liver oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda in these cases results in a positive cure to a large number. In advanced cases, however, where a cure is impossible, this well-known remedy should be relied upon to prolong life surprisingly.

50c. and \$1.00, all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Real Estate Transfers.

D. B. Holmes to N. M. Youngs, lot 3, blk 1, D. B. Holmes' add, Durand, \$150. H. Hosmer to F. Miller, pt ne frl | sec 3, Perry, \$400.

J. C. Brand to C. & G. T. Ry. Co., lot on sec 22, Durand, \$28.

M. L. Stewart to A. M. Butler, lot on

ec 14, Owosso \$15.21. O. L. & F. Co. to E. Guidet, lot 14, Oak Grove add, Owosso, \$200.

G. S. Wilkinson to C. Taylor, lot 13 blk , W. N. Green's add, Perry, \$65.

B. C. Cook to M. Cross, lots 1-2-3-4-5-6, blk 7, Castle, McArthur & Hurlbut's add. Corunna, \$2500. G. H. Perrin to J. W. Barnard and J.J.

Atherton, lot on sec 10, Vernon, \$1.00. J. McCredie to J. W. Barnard, lot 15 blk 3, J. C. Brand's 2d add, Durand \$800. F. C. Gale to N. W. Newell, pt net sec 15, Caledonia, \$2500.

It has been held that consumption is hereditary, and the fact that consumption is hereditary, and the fact that one person of a family had died with consumption was considered a sure sign that others of that family could not escape it. This is partly true and partly untrue. A man with weak lungs is likely to transmit that weakness to his children. But there is no reason in his children. But there is no reason in the world why the weakness should be allowed But there is no reason in the to develop. Keep the lungs full of rich, red, wholesome blood, and the weakness will disappear. Decaying tissues will be thrown off, and new material will be added until the lungs are well and perfectly strong. This is the thing that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery does. This is what makes it cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption where it is taken according to directions. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be in the body and forces them out of the system. It supplies the blood with rich, life-giving properties. It makes the appetite good, digestion perfect. Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Ad-viser," profusely illustrated.

Marriage Licenses.

Mark Jacobs, Morrice...... 19 Susie Ream, Shiawassee...... 16 James Frazer, Corunna...... 27 Phebe Warriner, Corunna..... 20

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally active disease. Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and the mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and sisting nature in doing its work. The for list of stimonials

Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo O. Probate Court.

The hearing of the final account of the administrator with the will annexed of siyled "highness." Maria Isadore Huntington, deceased, was continued till a future date.

The hearing of claims before court in the matter of the estate of Clarence P. Hulbert, deceased was had, and the order made allowing the same.

The last will and testament of Adaline Joslin, deceased, was presented for probate by Jerry Joslin, the executor named in the will, who petitioned for its probate. The hearing will occur on March 7th.

The will of Philo Bacon, deceased, of Laingsburg, was filed for probate and the hearing set for March 7th. The estate is estimated at \$2300. The petition asks that Wm. H. Hunt be appointed admin-

The will of Jane M. Bagg, deceased, of Owosso, was filed for probate, the hearing set down for March 7th. The estate is estimated at \$1,500.

Order issued admitting Viola and Ann Brown, minors, of Bancroft to the state public school at Coldwater. At present they are inmates of the county house.

Moses W. West, guardian of the estate of Nancy W.West, insane, was discharged. Wm. Kinney, of Burns township, received his final discharge as administrator of the estate of Almon Harrington.

The will of Henry Hersey, deceased, will be admitted to probate March 11th. The personal property is valued at \$500, and real estate \$1,000. The property is all willed to the wife, Helen Hersey.

The final account of the administrator of the estate of Catherine Gannsley was

endered. In the estate of Ashley B. Clark, deceased, of Durand, administrator of the

will annexed, was discharged. In the estate of Francis Van Wormer, mentally incompetent, A. A. Harper, guardian, petitions the court for license

to sell real estate. Hearing March 7th. KATHERINE E. KEISEY, Probate Register.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it falls to

A Marquette citizen tens tue Marquette Mining Journal his experience with "buck fever." He had never tried to shoot a deer, and hunting them was new to him. After spending a few hours tramping through the woods, feeling tired, he sat down on a log to rest for a short time. Now, like most hunters, he had taken his pipe and tobacco along. Filling the pipe, he smoked for a time without interruption, when, happening to turn his head a little to one side, he saw a large buck coming straight toward him. As luck would have it, he had sat down to smoke near a deer

The deer kept getting nearer and nearer, until he got nearly opposite the place where the hunter sat concealed, While the hunter was watching the approach of the deer he forgot that he had a gun, and that the deer was his "meat." He began to tremble and shake in every limb and joint, and it was a difficult matter for him to restrain a yell of fright. He watched and trembled until the deer was passing his hiding place and into the thicket beyond. Then, feeling for his pipe, he discovered that it lay on the ground near his feet. By the time he had picked it up the deer was out of range, and then he discovered that in his excitement he had bitten the mouthpiece of his pipe in two.

He was greatly relieved to see the deer move on, as it seemed to him that he was the game and the deer the hunter.

Prepare for Spring.

Don't let this season overtake you before you have attended to the important duty of you have attended to the important duty of purifying your blood with Hood's Sarsapa-arilla. By taking this medicine now you may save sickness that will mean time and money as well as suffering later on. Hood's Sarsaparilla will give you rich, red blood, good appetite, good digestion and a sound, healthy body. It is the greatest and best spring medicine because it is the One True Blood Purifier. Its unequalled record of marvelous cures has won for it the con-fidence of the whole people.

The hair on dolls' heads is from Angora coats. It is made into wigs by girls at

Elizabeth, N. J. Oct. 1896. KLY Bros., Dear Sir:—Please accept my tbanks for your favor in the gift of a bot-tle of the Cream Balm. Let me say I have used it for years and can thoroughtly rec-ommend it for what it claims, if directions Yours Truly, (Rev.) H. W. Hathaway.

No clergyman should be without it. Cream Balm is kept by all druggists. Full ze 50c. Trial size 10 cents. We mail tt. ELY BROS. 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

The secretary of the treasury Wednesday ssued a warrant for \$7,515,255.15 to pay the first mortgages on the eastern and middle divisions of the Kansas Pacific.

Hundreds of precious little ones owe their lives to Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, the sovereign cure for croup and all other throat There was a bull fignt at Guana, Theto,

Mexico, the other day, in which all the bull fighters were women. A cough is a danger signal of worse troubles to come. Cure the cough and pre-yent its results by using Dr. Wood's Nor-

way Pine Syrup It is stated that sharks have now penetrated into the Miditerranean through the

Suez Canal from the Red Sea.

Hail Death with Joy.

"I was a great sufferer from Heart Dis-The disease was so great I was confined to bed for days. I often thought I could hall death with joy. No physician could give me relief. I procured a bottle of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, the first dose gave almost instant relief. I have taken four bottles. I never felt better in my life."—Mrs. Margaret Smith, Brussels. Ont.—Sold by L. M. Watson and Parkill Son.—73.

The title of Majesty was first given to Louis XI, of France. Before that time Before that time sovereigns were usually

Instant Relief and Sure Cure.

No matter in what form or how long standing, Catarrh readily succumbs to that magical Catarrh cure—Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. Volumes could be registered and written of true and honest testimony in and written of true and honest testimony in cases where it has cured when all other treatments have failed. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder acts quickly, is easily applied, is harmless and pleasant,—Sold by L. M. Watson and Parkill & Son.—74.

Web to the length of two an a quarter miles has bee drawn from the body of a single spider.

Salt Rheum, Tetter, Eczema.

These distressing skin diseases relieved by one application. Dr. Agnew's Ointment is a potent cure for all eruptions of the the skin. Jas. Gaston, Wilkesbarre, says: "For nine years I was disfigured with Tetter on my hands, Dr. Agnew's Ointment cured me." 35 cents.—Sold by L. M. Watson and Parkill & Son.—75.

A fine ruby of more than three carets is worth more than a diamond of the same size and weight.

Never Worry.

Take them and go about your business they do their work whilst you are doing yours. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are system renovators, blood purifiers and builders; every gland and tissue in the whole anatomy is benefited and stimulated in the use of them. 40 doses in a vial, 10 cents.—Sold by L. M. Watson and Parkill & Son.—76.

There are nearly 19 000 hounds maintained in the United Kingdom exclusively for hunting purposes.

One Night to Denyer.

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"The Colorado Special" leaves Chicago via the Chicago & North-Western R'y at 10:00 a. m. daily and arrives at Denver 1:30 next afternoon. Eastbound, leaves Denver 3:30 p. m. daily, arrives Chicago 8:45 the Dext eyening. Connections made in the Union Depot, Denver, with trains to all points in Colorado and the West.

Up-to-date equipment. A daylight ride both ways through Illinois and Iowa. Passengers for Colorado can also leave

Passengers for Colorado can also leave Chicago 10:30 p. m. dally.

All agents sell tickets via Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line or apply to W. H. Guerin, 67 Woodward avenue, Detroit, Mich.

Or W. B. Kniskern, 23 Fifth avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Michigan Woman

Gets What is Better than a Fortune from the Klondike

She Tells in Her Own Way How It Happened.

"For about two years I was troubled with scrofula. Great sores broke out every little while. I followed prescriptions without obtaining any relief. At last I procured a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and it did me good, and finally cured me. I have never had any scrofula trouble since and never felt as well in my life as I do now. I have always been atflicted with sick headaches, but since I began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills I am cured of these and I can speak only in praise of the medicine that has done so much for me." MRS. ADDIE ALLEN, Carson City, Michigan.

Hood's Sarsa-Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. \$1; six for \$5. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills cure liverills, easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

The New Mileage Ticket.

The Michigan Central, "The Niagara Falls Route," will have on sale at its prin-cipal ticket offices on and after February 1st, the new interchangeable thousand-mile ticket, issued Ticket Bureau. issued by the Northern Mileage

This ticket will be sold for \$30, subject to a rebate of \$10, upon compliance with the conditions under which the ticket is issued, and will be good for passage upon issued, and will be good for passage upon any regular passenger train (except limited trains) of the Michigan Central, Ann Ar-bor, C. & W. M.; D., G. R. & W.; D. & M.; F. & P. M.; G. R. & I.; Grand Trunk; L. S. & M. S.; M. B. H. & C.; M. & N. E.; N. Y. C. & St. L., and P. & L. E. railroads, the Crosby Trans. Co. and D. & C. Nav. Co., upon presentation to conductor with-out the exchange ticket now required with the Central Passenger Association inter-

changeable mileage ticket. The Michigan Central will continue accept thousand mile interchangeable tick-ets issued by the Mileage Ticket Bureau of the Central Passenger Association, sold prior to February 1st, upon compliance by the holder with the conditions under which said tickets were issued.

O. W. RUGGLES. Gen'l Pass'r and Ticket Agent.

In Manchuria dogs are raised for their

skins. In Venice ladies wear glass bonnets, and Paris has caught the craze.

Many People Cannot Drink

coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children, Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee. 15

Chinese coinage in the shape of a knife has been traced back as far as 2240 B. C.

Piles, Piles, Itching Piles.

SYMPTOMS-Moisture, intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists, or by mail, for 50cents. Dr. Swayne & Son Philadelphia.

There are houses still stanking in Nurem burg, Bavaria, that were built in 1080.

Incontinence of water during sleep stopped immediately by Dr. E. DETCHON'S ANTI-DIURETIC. Cures children and adults alike. Price \$1. Sold by Johnson & Henderson, druggists, Owosso, Mich. 4-30-98

diamonds, sapphires and rubies valued at \$12,500,000.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Biemishes from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs Splints, Sweeney, Ring-Bone, Sprains, Sti-fles, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by Johnson & Henderson, druggists,

COMMON COUNCIL.

Common Council Room, Owosso, Mich., Feb. 7, '98.

Regular meeting of the common council, President, Wiley, presiding; alderman present at roll call, Perrigo, Wiley, Copas, Zimmerman, Seaw, White, Jordan, Watson, Waish. Minutes of the last meeting read and ap

minutes of the list meeting read and approve.

Following claims and accounts, were presented, and upon motion were referred to the committee on claims and accounts.

From Contingent Fund—Caledonia Electric Light & Power Co., £375.50, Cwosso fire department 19.00, Owosso Press Pub, Co. 2.255, John Ashford 16.00, A K Glies 16.00, Chas Beattie 2.25, D W Watters 0.60, S S Miner, 62.50, John Hammond 22.00, Wm Barrisford 22.00, J E Cady 22.00, Fred Edwards, 83 34, Owosso Gas Co 1.05, Hail Bros 9.32, Johnson & Henderson 4.60, Hobson & Co 70.00, M Keyte 23.00, A Steggail 4.30, John Ashford 1.25, I G Curry 2.80.

From Highway Fund—G A Cole \$25.64, Wm Ball 0.50, D Speck 2.25, W Shaw 9.88, David Long 3.00, Thomas Simmington 6.00, J Dutcher 7.20, E Dye 3.40, W B Signs 5.00, E Durkee 0.28, Fred Ahrnds 9.25, Frank Mack 5.50, V Fulkerson 9.40, D Nickles 0.75, C M Young 6.52, N Janett, 2.00.

From Water Works Fund—Caledonia Electric Light & Bover Co \$5.00.

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From Water Works Fund—Caledonia Electric
Light & Power Co \$5.00, Cook & Meivin 0.85, H
H Frain 1.50, Fred Edwards, insurance 85.00,
George Wilkes 1.25, JS Hunt 15.00, Owosso
Press Pub Co 2.38, Albert Todd & Co 143,94,
Chas Balcom 0.35.

Chas Balcom 0.32.

The city attorney, made the following report, which was upon motion adopted, ayes 9 nays 0.

To the Honorable Common Council of the city of Owosso:

At your last regular meeting was referred to me the question, "What proceedings are necessary for the city to collect twenty five doilars, drawn by Aid. J. H. Copas from the city treasury for settling the claim of James Doyle."

In my opinion the same can be collected by a suit brought by the city in justice's court against J. H. Copas.

Aid. Walsh, presented following report, which was upon motion adopted, ayes 9, nays 0.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the city of Owosso:

Gentlemen—The following is a statement of the Board of Public Works for the month of January:

8777.32 Pumping expenses..... General expense... Repairs.... Office supplies.... All of which is respectfully submitted BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS FRED EDWARDS,

on file.

Ald. Zimmerman presented following report which was upon motion adopted, ayes 9 nays 9. To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council: Your committee on public buildings and grounds, to whom was refered the letting of the contract for the building of West Owesso fire building, would respectfully report that they have not been able to make a contract with Hart & Ingersoll, who were the lowest bidders.

T. M. Wiley.

G. F. Zimmerman,

Aid. Walsh presented following communica-tion, which was ordered placed on file.

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Owosso, Feb. 8, '98.
To the committee on public works and the Common Council of the city of Owosso.

Gentlemen—We, the undersigned, whose proposal for the erection of an engine house in West Owosso, was accepted by your worthy assemblage, do claim that the reason of the delay of five weeks from the time of opening the bids until your last regular meeting, when a resolution was passed, authorising your committee to close a contract with us, depriving us of five weeks of the best winter weather in which to do outside work, do thereby claim that we should be entitled to some more money than the amount of our proposal, as for the balance of February and the first half of March we cannot expect any but extreme cold and stormy weather, in which we cannot do mason work satisfactory to you without additional expense to us. Therefore we ask and pray you that the sum of two hundred dollars be added to our proposal of twelve hundred and eighty-five dollars, and we will close a contract at once, and start work.

Signed, Worthy Hart, E. S. Ingersoll.

Ald. Jordan reported that the police had

Ald. Jordan reported that the police had called his attention to the condition of the city jail, that there was not sufficient clothing to keep people warm who were placee in there for the night, and that there were not bed ticks enough; he also recommended that the city put a stove in there.

It was moved and supported that this matter be referred to the police committee with power to act, ayes 9, nays 9.

Ald. Zimmerman suggested that when the city made sanitary connections with the city hall, that they excavate under there and put in steam heat, as they could save the cost of same in one year. Ald. White offered following resolution, it was moved and supported that the same be adopted, which did not prevail, ayes Wiley, Copas, White, Watson, Walsh, nays Perrigo, Zimmerman, Shaw, Jordan.

Copas. White, Watson, Walsh, nays Perrigo, Zimmerman, Shaw, Jordan.

Resoived, By the Common Council of the city of Owosso, that it is the sense of this council that a market place is greatly needed in this city, and also that a scaler of weights and measures, and an ordinance creating the same should be confirmed and adopted, as provided by our city charter. And be it further resolved, that at the spring election to be held April 4th, 1898, in this city, that a proposition be submitted to the electors of this city, and in substance shall become a part of the ballot to be used at said election, either printed or written, and shall be in the following words:

Yes—For the appointment of a scaler of weights and measures.

No—Against the appointment of a scaler of weights and measures.

Clerk, presented following communication, which was upon motion referred to the city attorney.

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Owosso, Feb. 7, '98.

Mr. Fred Edwards, City Clerk,

Owosso, Mich.

Dear Sir: The following resolution introduced by Mr. James Osburn at a meeting of the Business Men's Association, held Jam. 18, has been handed me with the request that it be presented to the Common Council of the city of Owosso at their next meeting.

Resolved, By the Business Men's Association of Owosso, that the Common Council of the city of Owosso be requested to ask the city attorney to take into consideration an ordinance for tax ing transional traders a reasonable tax, as provided by the charter; also, that in as much as the lonia peddler's license has stood before the courts, that a peddler's license be enacted that, in the opinion of the city attorney, will stand fire, and that such ordinance be enforced, in order that all property may bear its share of the burdens of taxes in our city.

G. T. Campbell, See'y Owosso Business Men's Association.

Ald, Perrigo offered following resolution Add. Fetrigo one-red following resolution, which was upon motion adopted, ayes 9 anys 6. Resolved, By the Jommon Council of the city of Owesso, that city clerk be and is hereby authorized to draw an order in favor of Lyon & Hadsall for #6.65, the same being sidewalk tax on lots 5 and 6, block twenty-three.

Aid. Watson reported that several complaints had been made to him in regard to the unsafe condition of the old pump factory, on Stewart street, and asked to have the matter attended to. It was moved and supported that the matter be referred to to the committee on abatement of nuisances, which was carried ayes 3 nays 0.

of nuisances, which was carried ages 3 nays 0.

Ald. Walsh offered following resolution, which was adopted, ages 3 nays 0.

Owosso, Feb. 7, '98.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the city of Owosso, that the public grounds and building committee are hereby instructed to advertise for bids to furnish all material and erect a building for fire department in the west part of this city, on lot 19, E. Barnes' addition to the city of Owosso, according to plans and specifications on file. A certified check of \$200 to accompany such and every bid.

Upon motion Council adjourned for one week

Upon motion Council adjourned for one week.

City Clerk. Common Council Room, Owosso, Mich., Feb. 3, '98.

Special meeting of Common Council, Mayor E. A. Gould presiding. Aldermen present at roll call, Perrigo, Wiley, Dewey. Zimmerman, Shaw, White, Jordan, Waish.

Dewey. Zimmerman, Shaw, White, Jordan. Walsh.
Mayor read the following call:
Owosso, Mich., Feb. 3, 1898.
To the City Attorney, Clerk, and Alderman.
Gentlemen—You are hereby notified that there will'be a special meeting of the Common Council of said city at the council room, on Thursday, evening, Feb. 3d, '98, at 8 o'clock, to take some action in regard to securing the county court house for Owosso.
Yours respectfully,
Yours respectfully,
E. A. Gould, Mayor.
A committee from the Business Men's Association came before the council and presented the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted, syes 8, nays 0:
Resolved, By the Owosso Business Men's As sociation, a corporation of Owosso, Shiawassee county, Michigan, that we as an association hereby pledge to Shiawassee county forty thousand dollars and a site for the purpose of building new county buildings, provided the county seat be changed to the city of Owosso, Michigan.
Ald, Dewey offered the following resolution,

Ald. Dewey offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted, ayes 8, nays 0: Resolved, That we, the Common Council of the city of Owosso in the sum of \$40,000 and a site used for building of county buildings in want of the location of the county seat in Owosso city.

Upon motion council adjourned.

FRED EDWARDS,
City Clerk. Ald. Dewey offered the following resolution

Suffered 20 Years.



RS. MARY LEWIS, wife of a promi ment farmer, and well known by all old residents near Belmont, N. Y., writes: "For twenty-seven years I had been a constant sufferer from nervous prostra-tion, and paid large sums of money for doctors and advertised remedies without benefit. Three years ago my condition was alarming; the least noise would startle and unnerve me. I was unable to sleep, had a number of sinking spells and slowly grew worse. I began using Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills. At first the medicine seemed to have no effect, but after taking a few bottles I began to notice a change; I rested better at night, my appetite began to improve and I rapidly grew better, until now I am as nearly restored to health as one of my age may expect. God

bless Dr. Miles' Nervine. Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive runrantee, first bottle benefits or money reeases of the heart and nerves free. Address. DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles

Nervine:

Restores'

· Probate Order.

A a session of the Probate Court for the county of Shiawassee, ss.—
At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Shiawassee, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Corunna, on the 26th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight.

Present, Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of John L. Tyler, deceased.

Richard F. Kay, as administrator of said estate, having rendered to this court his final account.

count.

It is ordered, that the 7th day of March next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be appointed for examining and allowing said account.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this corder he orbitished three appropriate tenths. order be published three successive weeks pre-vious to said day of hearing in THE Owosso TIMES a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Shiawassee.

MATTHEW BUSH, Judge of Probate

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. | 88

At a session of the Probate Court fors aid jounty, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Corunna, on Saturday, the 15th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Alice L. Stewart McDonald, deceased, on reading and filling the petition of Edward McDonald, as executor, praying for the appointment of commissioners on claims to hear and adjust claims against said estate, as in the petition set forth. It is ordered, That the 14th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the foreneon, at said Probate office, be assigned for hearing said petition.

petition.

And it is further ordered. That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Owosso Times, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Shiawasses.

MATTHEW BUSH,

Judge of Probate.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In the matter of the estate of John H. Park, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Hon. Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate in and for said county, on the 14th day of January, A. D., 1898, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the dwelling on the premises to be sold in the town ship of Rush, in said county, on Wednesday, the 16th day of March, A. D. 1898, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said deceased and estate in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the township of Rush, county of Shiawassee, State of Michigan, to wit: The e % of north % of s e % of see 32; aiso the north % of north % of s e % of see 33; and the north % of w % of north % of s e % of see 33, and 2% acres situated in the north west corner of the south % of n % of s of see 33, such piece of land extends 20 rods east from the road. All of said land being in the township of Rush, Shiawassee county, Mich.

MORA PARK,

Administrator of the Estate of said deceased.

Wassee county, Mich.

Administrator of the Estate of said deceased.

Dated, January 14, A. D., 1898.

Probate Notice.

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State of Michigan, County of Shiawassee, ss—
Notice is hereby given, that by an order of
the Probate Court for the county of Shiawassee, made on the 10th day of January, A. D.,
1898, six months from that date were allowed
for creditors to present their claims against the
estate of John Hartman, late of said county,
deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to
said probate court, at the probate office, in the
city of Corunna, for examination and allowance,
on or before the ith day of July next, and that
such claims will be heard before said court on
Monday, the 11th day of April and on Monday,
the 11th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the
forenoon of each of those days,
Dated, January, A. D., 1898.

MATTREW BUSH,
Judge of Probate.

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